

# The Caledonian Mercury.

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Whitehall, April 26, 1746.

*This Afternoon a Messenger arrived from the Duke of Cumberland, with the following Particulars of the Victory obtained by his Royal Highness over the Rebels, on Wednesday the 16th instant near Culloden.*

Inverness, April 18.

ON Tuesday the 15th the Rebels burnt Fort Augustus, which convinced us of their Resolution to stand an Engagement with the King's Troops. We gave our Men a Day's Halt at Nairn, and on the 16th marched from thence, between 4 and 5, in four Columns. The three Lines of Foot (reckoning the Reserve for one) were broken into three from the Right, which made the three Columns equal, and each of five Battalions. The Artillery and Baggage followed the first Column upon the Right, and the Cavalry made the 4th Column on the Left.

After we had marched about 8 Miles, our advanced Guard, composed of about 40 of Kingston's, and the Highlanders led by the Quarter-Master-General, perceived the Rebels at some Distance making a Motion towards us on the Left, upon which we immediately formed; but, finding the Rebels were still a good Way from us, and that the whole Body did not come forward, we put ourselves again upon our March in our former Posture, and continued it to within a Mile of them, where we again formed in the same Order as before. After reconnoitring their Situation, we found them posted behind some old Walls and Huts, in a Line with Culloden House. As we thought our Right entirely secure, Gen. Hawley and Gen. Bland went to the Left with the two Regiments of Dragoons, to endeavour to fall upon the right Flank of the Rebels, and Kingston's Horse were ordered to the Reserve. The ten Pieces of Cannon were disposed, two in each of the Intervals of the first Line, and all our Highlanders (except about 140 which were upon the Left with Gen. Hawley, and who behaved extremely well) were left to guard the Baggage.

When we were advanced within 500 Yards of the Rebels, we found the Morale upon our Right was ended, which left our right Flank quite uncovered to them; his R. Highness thereupon immediately ordered Kingston's Horse from the Reserve, and a little Squadron of about 60 of Cobham's which had been patrolling, to cover our Flank; and Pulteney's Regiment was ordered from the Reserve to the Right of the Royals.

We spent above half an Hour after that, trying which should gain the Flank of the other; and his R. Highness having sent Lord Bury forward within 100 Yards of the Rebels, to reconnoitre somewhat that appeared like a Battery to us, they thereupon began firing their Cannon, which was extremely ill serv'd and ill pointed: Ours immediately answer'd them, which began their Confusion. They then came running on in their wild Manner; and

upon the Right, where his R. Highness had placed himself, imagining the greatest Push would be there, they came down three several Times within 100 Yards of our Men, firing their Pistols and brandishing their Swords; but the Royals and Pulteney's hardly took their Firelocks from their Shoulders, so that after those faint Attempts they made off; and the little Squadrons on our Right were sent to pursue them. Gen. Hawley had, by the Help of our Highlanders, beat down two little Stone-walls, and came in upon the right Flank of their second Line.

As their whole first Line came down to attack at once, their Right somewhat out-flanked Barrel's Regiment, which was our Left, and the greatest Part of the little Loss we sustained was there; but Bligh's and Sempil's giving a Fire upon those who had out-flanked Barrel's, soon repulsed them, and Barrel's Regiment and the Left of Monro's fairly beat them with their Bayonets: There was scarce a Soldier or Officer of Barrel's, and of that Part of Monro's which engaged, who did not kill one or two Men each with their Bayonets and Spontoons.

The Cavalry, which had charged from the Right and Left, met in the Center, except two Squadrons of Dragoons, which we missed, and they were gone in Pursuit of the Runaways: Lord Ancram was order'd to pursue with the Horse as far as he could; and did it with so good Effect, that a very considerable Number was killed in the Pursuit.

As we were in our March to Inverness, and were near arrived there, Major Gen. Bland sent the annexed Papers, which he received from the French Officers and Soldiers surrendering themselves Prisoners to his R. Highness. Major Gen. Bland had also made great Slaughter, and took about 50 French Officers and Soldiers Prisoners in his Pursuit.

By the best Calculation that can be made, 'tis thought the Rebels lost 2000 Men upon the Field of Battle, and in the Pursuit. We have here 222 French, and 326 Rebel Prisoners, as will appear by Lists hereunto annexed. Lieut. Col. Howard killed an Officer, who appeared to be Lord Strathallan, by the Seal, and different Commissions from the Pretender found in his Pocket.

'Tis said Lord Perth, Lord Nairn, Lochiel, Keppoch, and Appin Stuart are also killed. All their Artillery and Ammunition, of which a List is also annexed, were taken, as well as the Pretender's and all their Baggage. There were also 12 Colours taken.

All the Generals, Officers and Soldiers, did their utmost in his Majesty's Service, and shewed the greatest Zeal and Bravery on this Occasion.

The Pretender's Son, it is said, lay at L. Lovat's House at Aird, the Night after the Action. Brigadier Mordaunt is detached with 900 Volunteers this Morning into the Fraser's Country, to attack all the Rebels he may find there. Lord Sutherland's and Lord Rae's People continue to exert themselves, and have taken upwards of 100 Rebels, who are sent for; and there is great Reason to believe Lord Cromerty and his Son are also taken. The

The Monros have kill'd 50 of the Rebels in their Flight. As it is not known where the greatest Bodies of them are, or which Way they have taken in their Flight, his Royal Highness has not yet determined which Way to march. On the 17th, as his Royal Highness was at Dinner, 3 Officers, and about 16 of Fitz-James's Regiment, who were mounted, came and surrendered themselves Prisoners.

The kill'd, wounded, and missing of the King's Troops (as by the annexed List) amount to above 300.

The French Officers will be all sent to Carlisle, till his Majesty's Pleasure shall be known.

The Rebels, by their own Accounts, make their Loss greater by 2000 than we have stated it. Four of their Principal Ladies are in Custody, Lady Ogilvy, Lady Kinloch, Lady Gordon, and the Laird of Macintosh's Wife. Major Grant, Governor of Inverness, is retaken; and the Generals Hawley, Lord Albemarle, Huske and Bland, have Orders to enquire into the Reasons for his surrendering Fort George.

P. S. Lord Cromerty, Lord Macleod his Son, with other Prisoners, according to the inclosed List, are just brought in from Sutherland by the Hound Sloop, which his R. H. had sent for them, and they are just landing. *Translation of a Letter from the Officers in the Service of his most Christian Majesty, who were at Inverness the Day of the Battle of Culloden, to Major Gen. Bland.*

**S I R,** *Inverness, April 16.*  
THE French Officers and Soldiers, who are at Inverness, surrender themselves Prisoners to his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, and hope for every thing which is to be expected from the English Generosity.

Sign'd Cusack, Murphy, Le Marquis de Guilles, Debau, d'Obrien, M'Donald.

To the Commanding Officer of the Troops of his R. Highness the Duke of Cumberland.

*Translation of the Parole signed by the Officers in the Service of his most Christian Majesty, with their Names, Titles, &c.* *Inverness, April 17. 1746.*

WE the underwritten, in the Service of his most Christian Majesty, acknowledge ourselves Prisoners of War of his Britannick Majesty; and we engage ourselves upon our Parole of Honour, not to go out of the Town of Inverness, without a Permission from his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland. In Witness whereof, we have sign'd this, and have thereunto set the Seal of our Arms. Done at the Head Quarters at Inverness, the 17th of April, 1746.

Stapleton, Brigadier of the Armies of the most Christian King, and Lieut. Colonel of Berwick's Regiment.

Jean M'Donnell, Colonel of Fitz James's Regiment.

Le Marquis de Guilles, Capt. in the Marine Regiment.

N. B. This is the Person who was called by the Rebels the French Ambassador.

Francois Nugent, Capt. of Fitz James's Regiment of Horse, appointed to exercise the Function of Quarter-master in the French Troops in Scotland.

Patrice Nugent, Capt. of Fitz James's Horse.

N. Comerford, Capt. of Bulkley's Regiment.

Cusack, Capt. of Dillon's Regiment.

Richard Bourke, Capt. of do. Jean M'Donach, Lieut. of do.

Michel Burke Lieut. of do. Edouard de Nugent Cpt. of do.

Carbery Fox, Lieut. of do. Thomas M'Dermott, Capt. of Rothe's Regiment.

Dudley M'Dermott, Lieut. do. Peter Taaffe, Lieut. of Rothe's Regiment.

Delahoyde, Capt. of Berwick's Regiment.

Patrick Clargue, Capt. do. Thomas Goold Lieut. do.

Pierre O'Reilly, Lieut. do.

Robert Sack, Capt. of Lally's Regiment being wounded, Murphy sign'd for him.

Richard Murphy Capt. of do. Miles Swiny, Lieut. do.

Patrick Sarsfield, Lieut. do. Jacques Grant Lieut. do.

Jean O'Brien, Capt. of the Regiment of Paris, Militia.

O Donohou, Capt. of the Regiment of Royal Scots.

Douglas Capt. do. Alexander Gordon, Chaplain of the French Troops.

Pierre Colieno, second Capt. of a Squisith Ship.

Barnaval, Lieutenant of Fitz James's Regiment.

Robert Shee, Capt. do. Horse. Thomas Bagot Capt. do.

Mark Bagot, Adjutant do. Alexandre Geoghegan, Capt. of Lally's Regiment.

D'Andrion, Officer of Artillery.

Jean Nugent, Lieutenant of

Fitz James's Horse.

De Cooke, Cornett of do. John Dillon, Capt. of Dillon's Regiment.

Thomas Scott, Volunteer in Bulkley's Regiment.

Du Sauslay French Engineer.

D' Horton Capt. of the Royal Scots.

Dicconson, Lieut. do. Nairne, Lieut. do.

Damary, Lieut. do. O Danil, Lieut. of Bulkley's Regiment.

Charles Guillaume Douglas, Capt. in Languedoc.

Jean St. Leger, Capt. of the Royal Scots.

Eugene O Keaffe, Lieut. of Berwick's Regiment.

Charles Bodin, Officer of Artillery.

Phillipe Molloy, Quarter-master in Fitz James's.

Lord Lewis Drummond Capt. of the Royal Scots.

*Return of the Rebel Officers now Prisoners in Inverness, April 19. 1746.*

Colonel Lord Kilmarnock.  
Colonel Francis Farquharson.  
Colonel Mac Lachlan.

Major, James Stuart.

Captain James Farquharson,  
Ditto, Andrew Wood.

Ditto, Alexander Coming.  
Ditto, Sprewell.

Ditto, Alexander Buchanan.  
Lieutenant George Gordon.

Ensign Duncan Mac Greggor.  
Ditto, James Lindsay.

Ditto, James Hay.  
Engineer, John Finlayson

Chaplain George Law  
Deputy Pay-master, ——— Nairne

Surgeon, George Lowther.  
Surgeon, John Rothery.

Life-Guard, Sir John Wedderburn.

*Return of Ordnance and Stores taken at and since the Battle of Culloden. Inverness, April 10.*

Brafs Ordnance	1 lb. $\frac{1}{2}$	3
	3 lb.	11
	4 lb.	4
Iron Ordnance	4 lb.	4

Brafs Swivels	6
Iron ditto	2

Firelocks of different Kinds	2320
Broad Swords and Blades	190
Musquet Cartridges	1500
Shot for Ordnance of different Natures	3019
Musquet Shot, C.	5
Barrels of Powder	37
Ammunition Carts	22

Besides smaller Stores, some Tents, Cantines, Pouches and Cartouch Boxes, Pistols, Saddles, &c.

**Return of the Killed and Wounded at the Battle of Culloden,  
April 16, 1746.**

**Names of the Officers Killed and Wounded.**

	Captain Lord Robert Kerr, Killed.	
Barrell's	Lieutenant Colonel Rich,	} Wounded.
	Captain Romer,	
	Lieutenant Edmonds,	
	Ensign Campbell,	
Wolfe's,	Ensign Brown,	}
	Ensign Bruce, Wounded.	
Price's,	Captain Grosseffe, Killed.	}
	Captain Simpson, Wounded.	
Bligh's,	Lieutenant Traupaud, Wounded.	
Late Monro's	Captain Kineer,	} Wounded,
	Lieutenant King,	
	Lieutenant Lort,	
	Ensign Dally,	
Late Ligonier's,	Ensign Mundock,	}
	Captain Spark, Wounded.	
Batterau's,	Captain Carter, Wounded.	
Lord Loudon's,	Capt. Jo. Campbell wounded, and dead since.	
Militia,	Capt. Colin Campbell, wounded and dead since.	

**HORSES.**

	Killed	Wounded.	Total.
Kingston's Horse,	2	1	3
Cobham's Dragoons,	4	5	9
Mark Kerr's Dragoons,	4	15	19

**Rank and File.**

Killed, Officers included. Wounded, Officers included.

The Royal Scots,			4
Lieutenant General Howard's	1		2
Lieutenant General Barael's	17		108
Major General Wolfe's,			1
Major General Pulteney's			
Brigadier Price's,	1		9
Brigadier Bligh's	4		17
Royal North British Fusiliers,			7
Brigadier Lord Sempill's,	1		13
Major General Blakeney's,			
Brigadier Cholmondeley's	1		2
Brigadier Flemming's,			6
Late Monro's,	14		68
Late Ligonier's,	1		5
Batterau's,			3

Total — 40 Total — 245

Artillery, } 1 Gunner  
5 Men.

Lord Loudon's Regiment, 6 — 3

Argyllshire Militia, — 1

Kingston's Horse — 1

Cavalry. { Cobham's Dragoon's 1 — 3  
L. Mark Kerr's Dragoons 3 — 3

Total Killed, 50 W. 259

Missing, 1

Total of Killed and Wounded — 310

**List of Prisoners taken in Sutherland the 15th of April, embarked on board his Majesty's Sloop the Hound, Cap. Dove.**

The Earl of Cromarty.	Lieut. Alexander M'kenzie.
Lord M'Leod, Son to the Earl of Cromarty.	Brother to Dundonald.
Lieut. Colonel Kendal in the Spanish Service.	Lieut. Alexander Mackenzie of Corry.
Capt. M'Kenzie, Brother of Ballon.	George St. Clair of Gees.
Capt. Roderick M'Culloch of Glasfich.	Hector Campbell in Caithness.
Lieutenant Rod. M'kenzie. Brother to Keppoch.	Hector Mackenzie.
	Lieut. James Macrae, in the Spanish Service; and, 152 private Men.

**List of the Officers who (the Rebels themselves say) were killed in the Battle, April the 16th, 1746.**

Lord Strathallan.	Capt. Macdonald, ditto.
Colonel MacLachlan.	Capt. Nairn.
Colonel Chisholm.	C. Farquharson of Whitehouse
Colonel Mac Intosh.	Capt. Farquharson in Achron.
Colonel Frazer.	Ensign Macintosh.
Col. Macdonald of Keppoch.	— Macdonald of Lochgary.
Col. Cameron of Lochiel.	Lord Balmerino.
Col. Grant.	Duke of Perth but not certain.
Col. M'donald of Clanronald.	

**EDINBURGH, May 1.**

From Glasgow, That several Gentlemen Officers in the Army, who had been made Prisoners at Fort Augustus, and a good number of private Men came to that Town last Week; and that by a Gentleman who left Down on Saturday last, there was Advice, that Glen-gyle with 2 or 300 Men were in Balwhidder, and that an Express had been sent to acquaint the Earl of Crawford and General Blackny thereof.

Yesterday, arrived here Captain Hay, Pay-master to Lord John Drummond's Regiment, who immediately surrender'd himself, and is ordered to the Castle.

This Morning the Duke of Cumberland's Equipage and Domesticks, set out from the Abbey for the West.

This Day, the 22d Day of the Moon, it is high Water at Leith, Forenoon, at 7 o'clock, 30 M. Afternoon, at 7, 54 M. Friday, Forenoon, at 8, 18 M. Afternoon, at 8, 42 M. Saturday, Forenoon, at 9, 6 M. Afternoon, at 9, 30 M.

**ADVERTISEMENT.**

¶ That the good Ship *The SOPHIA* of Anstruther, Burden 70 Tons, with her whole Furniture and Apparelling, is to be exposed to a voluntary Roup and Sale, at the House of James Robertson Vintner on the Shore of Leith, on Thursday the 15th of May instant, between the Hours of 4 and 5 Afternoon. The Inventory and Conditions of Sale are to be seen in the Hands of James Robertson at Leith.

¶ That upon Thursday the 8th Day of May inst. at 10 o'clock Forenoon, there is to be exposed to Sale by way of publick Roup, a Parcel of DREST and-UNDREST FLAX, TOW, and a Variety of other Articles, in the third Story of the Timber Land adjoining to Miln's Court at the Head of the West bow, North-side of the Street, where the Goods now ly, and may be seen any Time before the Sale. The Articles and Conditions of Roup to be seen in the Hands of James Johnston Writer in Edinburgh, at his House the Door above, where the Goods are to be seen.

¶ That upon Thursday the 15th of May current, there is to be exposed to Sale within the Laigh Coffee-house, Edinburgh, at 4 o'clock Afternoon, a large Quantity of DREST DUTCH FLAX of several Sorts, in whole or in Parcels, as Purchasers shall incline, who are to give Security for the Price payable in six Months. Samples of each Sort are to be seen in the Hands of Mr. John Haliburton Merchant in Edinburgh, at his House in Forrester's Wynd, who will commune with any that has a Mind to buy previous to the Roup, and show the whole Quantity, if required.

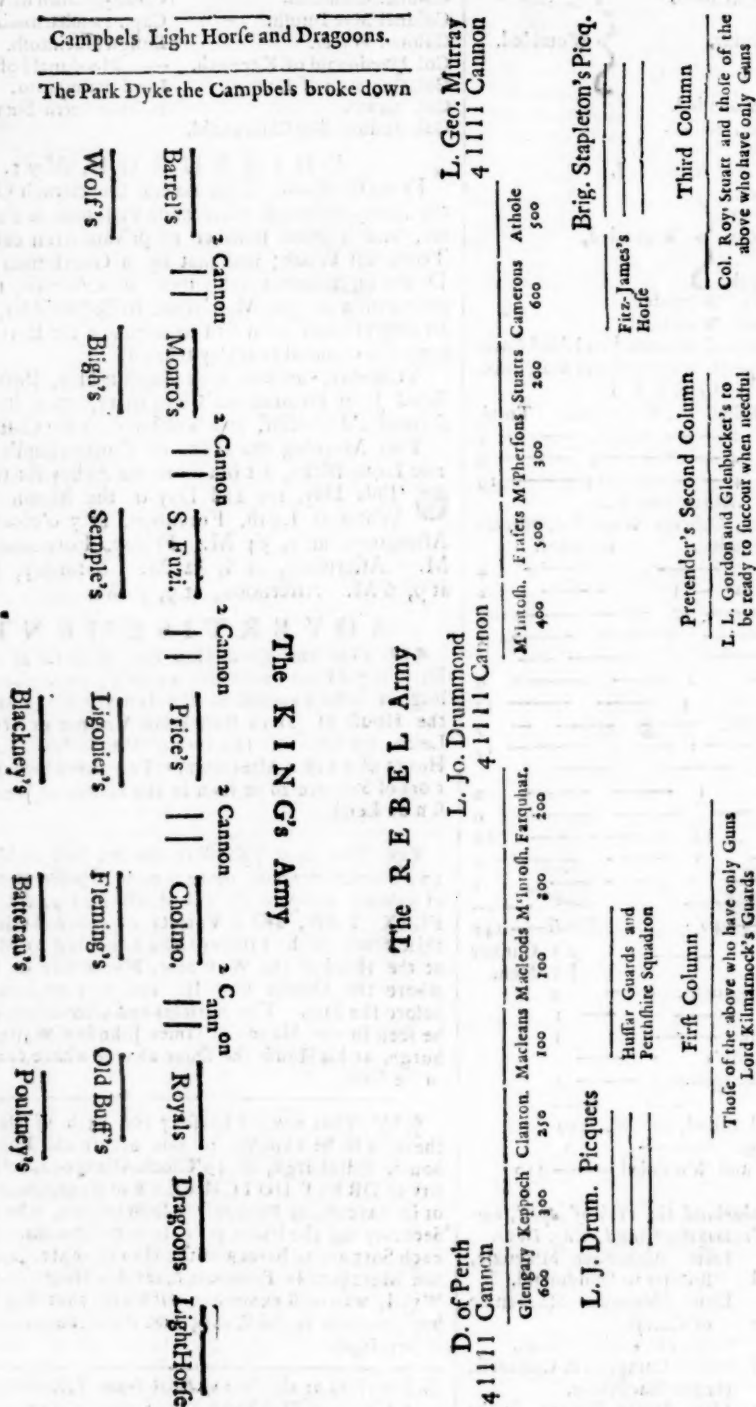
Just arrived at the Port of Leith from Philadelphia directly, A Cargo of FLAX-SEED of the Crop 1745, to be sold by NEIL MACVICAR Merchant in Edinburgh. Samples of the Seed may be seen at his Shop in the Lawnmarket, and at the Weigh-house in Leith.





**A Plan of the Battle of Culloden fought between the Army under his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland and the Rebels, on Drummossie Moor, the 16th April 1746.**

Three Regiments marching in a cover'd Way towards the Park



The D of Perth and L. Ogilvy's Regiments, not to fire without positive Orders, and to keep close up as a first Corps of Reserve.

1st Line	4350
Right-flank	400
Left-flank	400
Column	400
2d Column	400
3d Column	400
Corps of Reserve	800
<b>Total</b>	<b>5550</b>